Sermon Outline

Trusting When Things Don't Make Sense Hebrews 11:29-31

Introduction: When things don't make sense in life and Scripture

Context: Review Hebrews 11

1) The faith of those who crossed the Red Sea (29) – Exodus 13:16-14:31

Faith that navigates through doubt

Faith between the devil and the deep blue sea

2) Faith that caused walls to tumble down (30) – Joshua 6:1-25

Our battle against spiritual strongholds – 2 Cor 10:4, Eph 6:14-17

3) The faith of Rahab the harlot (31) – Joshua 2:1-21

Faith that saves wretched sinners

4) Why does God often work this way?

His thoughts and ways are higher – Isaiah 55:8-9

Faith necessitates things we do not understand – Hebrews 11:1

To strengthen our faith so that it endures – Rom 5:3-4, Ja 1:3

For His own glory – Rev 21:3-5